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Norman Baker



"Hello Folks"

MORE FUN—when the Governor talks in West Liberty—how would he answer these questions if someone in the audience asked them of him—

1. Why did you permit the state militia to be called for mobilization against Cedar County farmers?

2. Why don't you spend some of your time investigating the fallacy or advantage of the T. B. Tuberculin testing?

3. Why do you believe everything the medical gang tells you, why don't you get your own investigator and not believe all such things as Herman Carlson, the medical inspector, tells you when you know he is working for the interests of the organized allopathic doctors who have not as yet found a cure for an ordinary cold?

4. Why do you permit over 3000 men and women to die each year in Iowa of cancer while your medical board propaganda forces them to the knife, when Dr. Mayo says that operations in 99 cases of cancer out of a 100 cause cancer to return?

5. Why don't you either put Norman Baker in jail as a faker when he says cancer is being cured at the Baker Hospital in Muscatine, Iowa, or ascertain the truth and, if cancer is being cured, put your stamp of approval on it and let Iowans become cured of cancer by Iowa doctors thus making our state the leader of the world by doing what others failed to do after 100 years of medical research?

OH WHAT'S THE USE — no one will ask him these questions anyway.

ATTENTION INDIANA SCHOOL folks—I don't mean over in the state of Indiana, but up there north of Pleasant Valley where the big meeting was held at the Indiana School—I'm ashamed of myself now—I didn't know I talked so long why didn't some of you give me the signal and I would have stopped—but in fact of it all—after that two hours and 50 minutes, some one told me I talked — I FORGOT SOMETHING—I told Mr. Carpenter on the way home that I forgot it—he said "Better go back and tell them."—I will give it to you here. You remember when I said that after 15 years of farm organization efforts and over two years with the Farm board, all you can show for your accomplishments is 25c wheat and 15c rye—there is more you can show in Scott county—here it is—in Scott county, Iowa, in 1920 you had 48,178 cows on farms—ten years later in 1930—just last year, you had 37,373—that means YOU NOW HAVE 10,905 LESS THAN TEN YEARS AGO—that's not all you can show—in 1920 the value of your farm lands and buildings in Scott county, was \$68,497,083 and in 1930, just last year, it was \$47,342,583—that means the value is now \$21,154,500 LESS THAN TEN YEARS AGO—better awaken and start that SINGLE UNIT FARM ORGANIZATION RIGHT NOW—or in ten more years you will be RENTING from the chain farm managers or your BANKER. Moral—quit raising cow's tails for Tuberculin testing or in 10 years you won't have any cows—test the milk—it's safer, better, and more reliable.

DO YOU WANT FUN—Just write to Verne Marshall of Cedar Rapids Gazette, Mr. Adler of Des Moines Democrat or Times—Clyde Rabedeaux of Muscatine Journal, Courier, Ottumwa, Iowa, or any of your local newspapers—word your letter something like this "Dear Editor: I have read much in your columns about helping the farmer, from Governor Turner telling us to save and hold our corn for 36 while we are starving and have no money to hold it with, to the Farm board going to spend more millions foolishly, to the Farm Bureau wanting the Equalization Fee and the Orange wanting the Debenture Plan and after it is all said and done I have read of the most positive plan ever announced in the world for helping the farmer and actually bringing him out of the mire. That is the Baker plan of Single Farm

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PER CONVICTS DYNAMITE THEIR CELLS

Inquest Held in Pirate Murder

WOMAN CALM AFTER YACHT TRAGEDY, SAID

Police Sergeant Tells Of Interview With Young Widow

HUNTINGTON, N. Y.—(INS)—Mrs. Lillian Collings

seemed calm and collected when she was found aboard the motor boat Bo Peep at 5:30 in the morning of September 10th, after having witnessed the slaying of Benjamin P. Collings, her husband, by the two pirates who boarded his yacht the Penguin, just seven hours before, according to the testimony of Sergeant Robert Forrest of the Cove Neck police at the corner's inquest today.

"On that morning," Forrest testified, "I was awakened by a telephone call from a man named Herbert Howard at the estate of L. C. Smith who said there was a woman at his boat house who said her husband had just been thrown overboard. I found a lady sitting on the Bo Peep. She appeared to be of the calm and collected type. Her eyes were clear as I talked to her. Occasionally she looked over the water as she told me the story of the night."

"Once or twice she seemed nervous. She didn't cry. Occasionally she rubbed her forehead reflectively, like this," Forrest illustrated.

In response to district attorney Alexander G. Blue's question as to how Mrs. Collings was dressed, Forrest replied:

"She had on a white mesh dress and white canvas shoes with black rubber soles. They were large shoes. She told me they had been given her by the elder of the two pirates."

"Any stockings?" asked Blue.

"No."

"When you first approached her, she greeted you with a smile, didn't she?"

"Yes."

"She was calm?"

"Yes."

"Any agitation in her voice?"

"Yes. When she spoke of getting into the canoe. She said she thought she'd better do as she was told after what had happened to her husband."

Sergeant Forrest related in full detail his questioning of Mrs. Collings. He asked her, he said, how long she had been around that section of Long Island Sound. She replied, "about three weeks."

The weather man says

MUSCATINE: SUNSHINE, 5:45; SUNSET, 6:10.
IOWA: Unsettled, probably showers in east central portion, warmer in extreme west portion tonight; Saturday partly cloudy and somewhat warmer.
ILLINOIS: Partly cloudy, probably showers in north portions tonight; Saturday mostly fair with warmer in north and central portions.
MISSOURI: Partly cloudy tonight and Saturday; somewhat warmer in north portion Saturday.
GENERAL FORECAST: The indications are for partly cloudy and unsettled weather over the north-central states tonight and Saturday with scattered showers over the northern portions of the country. A cold front will move higher Saturday over portions of the upper Great Lakes region and the upper Mississippi Valley. On Sunday there will be considerable cloudiness with showers over a large portion of this forecast district.

Grants Concessions



Sir Austen Chamberlain, first lord of the British admiralty, tells the house of parliament of concessions granted the navy.

BOYS IN BLUE END CONVENTION

Civil War Veterans Returning Home From Session

DES MOINES, Ia.—(INS)—Civil war veterans were returning to their homes today after attending the sixty-fifth annual encampment here.

The "Boys in Blue" were making plans to attend the 1932 encampment at Springfield, Ill., which will be presided over by their new commander-in-chief, Samuel P. Towne, of Philadelphia. The new 85-year-old commander was chosen to succeed James E. Jewel, of Fort Morgan, Colo. Oley Nelson, of Slater, Ia., who served as chief of staff for the Des Moines encampment, was unanimously chosen senior vice-commander-in-chief.

The other officers named at the closing session of the encampment were Russell C. Martin, of Los Angeles, junior vice-commander-in-chief; Dr. Samuel A. Campbell, of Mattoon, Ill., surgeon-general, and

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Illness Fatal



Giles R. Taggart, United States consul at Berlin, who has succumbed to pneumonia, brought about by the recent hurricane.

Journal Snubs Wilton

Resentment runs high in and about Wilton since Thursday. The Wilton folks worked hard to complete all arrangements for the big meeting there Wednesday evening. The main streets were roped off, the large band stand was placed, and the local band of some thirty pieces, a band any city could feel proud of, arranged to appear.

Business houses were open, ready for business, and they did business. The night arrived, all streets leading into Wilton were one continuous glimmer of dazzling headlights, cars were parked in some places four rows on the wide streets that Wilton is blessed with.

The band played an excellent program, rounds of applause greeted them. Thousands of people were there, Clyde Rabedeaux of Muscatine's "Second Paper" we are told, was there, the same Clyde that published the special editions for Harry Hoxsey, the same Clyde that became disloyal with his paper to his friend merchants who patronized his columns in Muscatine.

One fellow said he approached him and said, "Clyde, what do you think of this crowd?" "I never expected it," he said.

Mr. Lenker, a staunch supporter of his city—WILTON—and his friends were there. Mr. Lenker spoke, received rounds of applause showing the support of his brother and sister citizens.

All in all, it was a big night, perhaps one of the largest crowds Wilton has had for some years—a huge success for the Wilton folks, they felt proud of it, they had a right to be, and after it was all over, CLYDE RABEDEAUX, publisher of the Journal, the fellow who received support from Wilton and Muscatine county farmers who subscribe for his paper, REFUSED TO MENTION ONE WORD ABOUT WILTON'S SUCCESSFUL MEETING, all because NORMAN BAKER was there. Just another case of "TO H— with my subscribers, I'll satisfy my personal grievances first."

Any community like Wilton, that is energetic enough, to stage such a successful get-together meeting as they had Wednesday evening, is NOT GOING TO STAND FOR SUCH SNUBBERY VERY LONG. Some day, the Muscatine Journal may find a dropping off of Wilton subscriptions, and also Cedar County and Muscatine County farmers who called that meeting—THEIR MEETING ALSO.

GUARD AND CONVICT SHOT DURING RIOT

14 Men, Mostly Long Termers Flee From Delaware Prison

WILMINGTON, Del.—(INS)—A guard and a convict were shot and 14 prisoners, mostly long-termers, escaped when the second riot and jailbreak within a year broke out at the New Castle workhouse today.

The wounded were Anthony R. Hayden, a guard, reported shot by escaping prisoners, and Clarence Cole, a convict. Cole, serving an 18-year term for banditry, was shot down and recaptured outside the institution.

The prisoners escaped after shattering barred doors with dynamite. Wilmington police were rushed to the scene to aid prison officials. Warden Elmer J. Leach, in a hasty phone call to Wilmington officials, said the melee started shortly before noon.

Members of the "Clove Dairy gang" were among 15 bandits who robbed the Clover dairy plant of Wilmington of several thousand dollars last year. Leach intimated that unruly prisoners had been partially subdued after 14 escaped, but asked for Wilmington police reinforcements to aid in maintaining order.

DEPUTY AUDITOR FACES CHARGES

Is Accused of Taking \$1,380 of Polk County Funds

DES MOINES, Ia.—(INS)—The Polk county board of supervisors today prepared to file charges of embezzlement against the Polk county funds from the auditor's office against L. V. Smith, for five years chief deputy county auditor and for the past ten years connected with the office.

According to County Auditor J. G. Cook, Smith obtained the money from the office cash drawer which he had charge of. Cook said that he never doubted Smith's integrity until Sheriff Charles Keeling refused payment of a check made out to him which the latter obtained as a rule that he needed vacation money.

Keeling said that Smith had asked for a "small" loan but that when he made out of check to him by Keeling he filled in the amount for \$443.75.

Smith, Cook said, went to Portland, Ore., supposedly on his vacation. When representatives of the bonding company which held Smith's \$2,500 bond discovered a shortage, Smith returned to Des Moines.

State examiners found about \$1,400 of the county funds were missing. The state board of examiners filed their report Tuesday and immediate action was expected to be taken by the board of supervisors, although its next regular meeting is not scheduled until September 23.

BANDITS TAKE \$5,000 IN LOOT

Hold Banker and His Family Captives Through Night

MILTON JUNCTION, Wis.—After holding John Paul, president of the Farmers' bank, and his family captives all night four bandits today robbed the bank of \$5,000 loot.

The quartet entered the Paul residence at 10 p. m. last night, held up Mrs. Paul, who was alone in the house and trussed her up with wire and adhesive tape.

As other members of the family returned each was covered with revolvers and trussed with wire and tape. One member of the bandit quartet stayed awake all night guarding the captives.

At 7:35 this morning two of the gunmen forced Malcolm Paul, a son of the president, to accompany them to the bank where he was forced on the threat of death to open the vault.

India Conference Adjournment Called

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Iowans to Ask Hoover Aid in Corn Situation

GREEN COUNTY BANDIT SOUGHT

Vigilantes Scouring Countryside for Iowa Bandit

DANA, Ia.—(INS)—Green county vigilantes are scouring the countryside today for an unmasked young bank bandit who Thursday held up the bank of Dana and escaped with about \$650.

He is believed to be headed north from here in an automobile bearing either Illinois or Minnesota license plates.

After entering the bank, ordering a woman employee to give him the contents of the cash drawer, and escaping the bandit was followed by a posse for six miles which lost his trail after he headed south and then circled back to the north by means of a small dirt road.

Congressman Haugen To Meet Delegates At Washington

DES MOINES.—(INS)—Governor Dan Turner today announced that Congressman Gilbert N. Haugen of Iowa, chairman of the house of representatives agriculture committee, will meet with the Iowa delegation which is to call upon President Hoover, Secretary of Agriculture Hyde and chairman of the federal farm board, Stone, next week in Washington.

Haugen, co-author of the McNary-Haugen agriculture bill, is expected to aid both delegations in reaching some solution to the problem of establishment of higher corn prices.

The Iowa delegation which is seeking some arrangement whereby Iowa and midwestern farmers may secure loans at a lower rate of interest than the prevailing one will also include Ivan Hasbrough of Jefferson, Ia., president of the Iowa Bankers association, Governor Turner and other members of the delegation expect to leave tomorrow for Washington for the conference.

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CHILD KILLED IN CAR CRASH

Eight Others Injured In Auto Collision Near Marshalltown

MARSHALLTOWN, Ia.—(INS)—Authorities today were investigating the accident Thursday in which a seven-year-old girl was instantly killed and eight others injured when a truck in which six children were riding to school collided with another auto.

Bessie Irene May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse May, living three miles north of Marshalltown, was the victim of the accident. The injured were Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Hall, of Eldora, who were riding in the other machine, Isabelle and Raymond Miller, Mary Owens, Leslie and Wayne Brown and Donald Worrell.

STORM HITS OMAHA OMAHA, Neb.—(INS)—A terrific electrical storm which lasted for an hour struck Omaha early this morning. More than an inch of rain fell in twenty minutes time.

AL Capone Says He Knows Nothing of Heitler Charges

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City Aldermen Decide to Post Council Proceedings

Man Attacked by Bull Near Death

SHERIDAN, Mo.—(INS)—Little hope was held today for the recovery of Will Blake, 35-year-old farmer living north just across the Iowa line, who was attacked by an infuriated bull Tuesday evening. He suffered, among others, a bad head injury.

STORM HITS OMAHA OMAHA, Neb.—(INS)—A terrific electrical storm which lasted for an hour struck Omaha early this morning. More than an inch of rain fell in twenty minutes time.

But Thursday night the august city fathers, meeting in regular session in the city council chamber, decided to revert to the old way of doing things and proceedings of that particular body will be posted in the city hall.

All city fathers, because Muscatine's second newspaper decided that in these times of depression and high taxation, the 35 cent limit for council proceedings and 70 cent limit for ordinances and certain types of notices, for each ten lines of brevity type or its equivalent, which, to the initiated, means about one column inch, was not enough, and refused the city printing.

Two weeks ago the ordinance setting the price of city printing was passed. At that time also, although they were warned that the Lee syndicate paper, which had been charging as high as \$1 per inch, might not play according to these rules and regulations, the aldermen and councilmen decreed that whatever printing business the city had to offer should be given to both the Free Press and its aged contemporary. Two weeks to each paper was the ruling of the aldermen and for the past fourteen days all the city ordinances, notices and such have appeared in the Free Press.

What To Do? But at the end of the two weeks what to do? Ah, there's the rub. The second newspaper in Muscatine refused to accept the printing at the price set by the aldermen though the ordinance stipulates the city printing business must be alternated between the two papers.

Aldermen clapped their fervid brows, but did not remain long in study over the matter. Instead they began to make motions, offered suggestions, questioned the ordinance and made more motions and suggestions.

Motions flew thick and fast. Alderman Albert Stolzenus suggested that the Free Press continue to get the city's printing, but no such motion was made. Alderman E. C. Schoemaker moved that the Free Press be asked for a sworn statement of its circulation in the city; someone mentioned that the ordinance would not be complied with if the Free Press was to continue to

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Two Pacific Flyers Describe Hazards Encountered On Attempted Ocean Flight

By JAMES R. YOUNG TOKYO.—(INS)—Definite announcement that they would resume their interrupted flight from Tokyo to Seattle was made today by Don Moyle and C. A. Allen, California airmen, in a wireless dispatch to the Tokyo newspaper Asahi from Nauru Island, where they were forced down 24 hours after leaving Japan.

In the dispatch, Allen gave the first description of the hazards he and his companion encountered after they left Sabahoro Beach on an attempt to fly non-stop to Seattle for the \$25,000 prize offered by the Asahi.

"Early on the trip from Sabahoro," Allen said in his message, "we had ideal weather. "Reaching the Aleutian islands, however, we encountered a terrific gale. The plane was swept from side to side for more than twenty hours. Without a moment's rest

Moyle and I kept up a superhuman effort to keep the plane aloft. "Finally we landed on an uninhabited island in the Aleutians. We remained there seven days before the weather cleared, when we again took off and flew to the village of Mino Pignio near Cape Navarin on Navarin Island.

"We were in the air for twenty-four hours after leaving Japan before we made the first landing. "We plan to leave immediately for Seattle."

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LADY PRESENTS BAKER AT TALK NEAR LECLAIRE

Muscatine Man Gives Speech at School Event Thursday

For the first time in the history of Muscatine, Norman Baker, of this city, was introduced by a lady when he delivered an address at the Indiana school No. 4, two and one-half miles north of Pleasant Valley, Thursday.

The one who presented him to the 1,500 or more persons gathered to attend the school social was the teacher at the school.

Mr. Baker was invited to make the address through Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wille of Le Claire, Ia. Many of his friends from Clinton and Scott counties who had heard him in previous occasions were in the audience.

The talk which lasted for two hours and 50 minutes, was of special interest to both city and rural residents as he talked on matters in which the public is vitally concerned.

Following his address Mr. Baker was detained by his well wishers who offered him congratulations on the work he has been doing throughout the state, and he was told many times that considerable interest is being manifested in him and his program.

Baker Stands High
One man in the audience, who travels eight counties in Iowa, declared that Norman Baker stood paramount with the rural and city dwellers in his territory and that much interest is being shown in the possibility of his entering the race for governor in 1932.

The school, where the program was held, nestles in a beautiful scenic spot not far from the banks of the Mississippi river. The entire Baker party thoroughly enjoyed the trip to the school and the cooling drive over the paved highway to Pleasant Valley.

And the program arranged was an enjoyable affair. Cake, furnished by ladies of the community, and ice cream was served. There were also musical numbers rendered by the school band and the "K-TNT Kids," which were warmly received.

Subscriptions Are Sold
Following the program, the school principal, Mr. J. E. Eaton, W. Vogele, E. Bronkema, R. A. Grimm, Sam Dye and the Rev. Leiland Teshler.

Mr. Baker is scheduled to speak at a picnic at Fairbank, Ia., Saturday at 2 p. m. At this program, which will include a ball game and boxing exhibition, the "K-TNT Kids," also appear. Saturday evening he will speak at Washington park, Waterloo.

Three speaking engagements have been arranged for Sunday. At 1:30 p. m. he will speak at Mt. Vernon, Ia. at 4 p. m. at Keosauqua, Ia. and at 6 p. m. at Marengo.

Two Large Damage Suits Are Filed At Grundy Center

GRUNDY CENTER, Ia.—(INS)—Two large damage suits are on file for trial in the Grundy county court here. B. L. Woodcock, Eldora, is suing Walter Graves, Eldora, and Harry Wilhelm, of this city, for \$27,661 damages for injuries received in a collision near Morrison last June. The Kern family of Grundy Center are suing the Cleo Bailey and the E. G. Bennett hum Co. for \$37,500 damages for injuries received July 17 when a gravel truck collided with the Kern family car, lady, 13, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kern, was killed in the accident.

DISTRICT COURT

Judge C. L. Ely, who is occupying the district court bench for the September term, left Friday afternoon for his home in Maquoketa. He will return here Monday morning. The petit jury is scheduled to report for duty on Sept. 20, when one of the two accident damage suits of W. C. Hall vs. the Liggett and Myers Tobacco company will be heard.

Arthur Tatt, acting guardian of Dora Smith, who received injuries while riding in an automobile on April 24, 1931, was authorized in an order signed by Judge C. L. Ely to accept the sum of \$1,000 in full settlement for damages from Harold Tebbake as a covenant not to sue. Drake and Wilson are attorneys for the guardian.

Motion for a more specific statement by the plaintiff was filed today by Paul D. Ogilvie and Dorothy Ogilvie dependants in the suit of Wesley Arnell Smith, E. S. Jackson is attorney for the defendants.

Wilmer C. Hallock, Blanche A. McCullough and Ada L. Brown, heirs of George W. Hallock, deceased, applied to the court today for the appointment of Wilmer C. Hallock as administrator with the will annexed.

AT 101, SHE LIKES RADIO
CHEYENNE, Wyo.—(INS)—Mrs. Harriet Smith is 101 years old. Mrs. Smith gets her entertainment from listening to the radio. She was born in New Hampshire but lived most of her life in Simsbury, Conn. A son, who is a doctor here, sees his mother daily.

TO CHECK ELK HUNTERS
CHEYENNE, Wyo.—(INS)—A close check on elk killed in the Jackson Hole country this fall. Checking camps are to be established at entry points and as the hunters enter the region their names will be taken and, when they return with elk, coupons will be removed from their hunting licenses to prevent their entering the region and killing elk a second time. Stockmen believe that the checking system will prevent unscrupulous hunters from killing cattle, as well as keep a check on the elk.

Speaking Dates Of Norman Baker

Many of our friends have phoned and written us regarding the various speaking dates arranged for Norman Baker, and we are pleased to mention them as follows:

Sept. 19—Fairbanks, Ia. Picnic, ball game and boxing. Speaking at 2 p. m. K-TNT artists also will appear.

Sept. 19—Washington park, Waterloo, Ia. Speaking at 7 p. m.

Sept. 20—Mt. Vernon, Ia. Speaking at 1:30 p. m.

Sept. 20—Keosauqua, Ia. Speaking at 4 p. m.

Sept. 20—Marengo, Ia. Speaking at 8 p. m.

Sept. 23—Gerhart, Ill., few miles north of Monmouth. Speaking at 1 p. m.

Sept. 27—Kosuta, Ia., eight miles west of Marengo on route 73. Speaking at 2:30 p. m.

Oct. 4—Naturopathic association state convention, Indianapolis, Ind.

Nov. 5—Des Moines, Ia. Junior Chamber of Commerce. Speaking at 12, Noon.

Speaking dates can be arranged for the appearance of Mr. Baker. Address him at Muscatine, Iowa.

LEGION HEADS TO BE ELECTED

Nominations Closed Thursday Night At Gathering

At a business meeting of the local American Legion post Thursday, nominations for officers to be elected Sept. 24 were closed. They are as follows:

Commander—Al Haight, P. C. Broughton and Frank Drake.

First vice commander—H. H. Eaton and William Vogele.

Second vice commander—W. J. Nyenhuis and O. E. Bentley.

Adjutant—R. E. Dunker.

Finance officer—W. Vogele, Ray Shoemaker and Ray Bloom.

Executive board—H. H. Eaton, W. Vogele, E. Bronkema, R. A. Grimm, Sam Dye and the Rev. Leiland Teshler.

Historian—L. E. Grimm, Fay Hankins and C. F. Fullam.

Sergeant at arms—Fred Holmes.

The present post commander is Ray Grimm.

Additional Society

Birthday Party Given Honoring Marian Wilson

Little Marian Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson, 306 East Fifth street, was pleasantly entertained on her seventh birthday Thursday.

The group enjoyed various games at Weed park during the afternoon with Betty Johnson and Bobby Schmalz winning prizes. Later the children were taken to the Wilson home where refreshments were served. A color scheme of pink and white was used in the decorations.

The children present were: Betty Hoffman, Dorothy Timmerman, Bobby Dwyer, Bobby Gehring, Bobby Wilson, Betty Jean Connell, Patty Johnson, Irene Schmalz, Bobby Schmalz and Marian Wilson.

French Woman Looms As Head Of Big Business

PARIS.—(INS)—French women are more and more playing their roles in the business world. One is Mademoiselle Suzanne Gaucher who occupies one of the most unique situations of France, Europe and even the whole world. This young French woman is directress of a large number of industrial groups and manages one of France's biggest corporations.

She is continuing the work of her father who created in 1897 these groups which have for their purpose according to the technical definition, the harmonization of the production of factories of the same industry with the consumption, to avert over-production.

Mademoiselle Gaucher is also managing the "Union of Cleaners and Dyers" which comprises all the factories which treat and finish fabrics which come from the regions of Roubaix, Tourcoing, Avor, Paris and Reims, 80 per cent of all the production in France.

RIEPE HELD ON LARCENY COUNT

Cafe Owner Indicted By Grand Jury for Theft of \$65

Charles Riepe, proprietor of the Lincoln cafe, was arrested this morning by Deputy Sheriff Jack Pace on a bench warrant issued by Judge C. L. Ely in district court late Thursday, and charging him with the larceny of \$65 from the person of Otto McCulley.

Riepe was named in a secret indictment returned Thursday afternoon by the grand jury. He was released at noon today after he had furnished a cash bond of \$1,000.

Given Drinks, Charge
McCulley, according to his evidence presented before the grand jury, charges that about six weeks ago he rode with Riepe to the Muscatine airport, and that Riepe gave him just three drinks. He had according to his statements, exactly \$65 in his pocket.

He charges that he returned from the airport with Riepe to the latter's restaurant, where he became groggy and fell asleep, awakening to find his money gone. McCulley claims that later Riepe offered him various sums to forget about the matter. He claims that about two weeks ago Riepe gave him \$60 in the presence of one John Loving.

Ella Green Arrested
Ella Green, against whom a secret indictment was also returned, was arrested this morning by Sheriff F. B. Neasper on a bench warrant charging her with maintaining a liquor nuisance. She was released on furnishing a bond of \$500.

Another secret indictment was returned Thursday by the grand jury against William Reddick, Muscatine, charging him with the crime of rape. Evidence was furnished by a 14-year-old girl, who told of the rape and that she and a boy had hitch-hiked here from Ottumwa.

She said she met Reddick who induced the boy to return to Ottumwa, and that they went to farms in the Bayfield district where they posed as man and wife and asked for work. The girl told local authorities she is one of a family of ten children, and asked that she be committed to the state school for girls at Mitchellville.

All of the prisoners indicted by the grand jury will be arraigned to Judge C. L. Ely in district court on Tuesday morning.

FALL FESTIVAL EVENT STARTED

Business Men Pleased With Program of Opening Night

Residents of Muscatine and the trade area had their first opportunity of viewing the fall merchandise of local merchants Thursday evening when the stores remained open from 7 to 9 p. m. as a feature of three day fall festival which opened then.

Band concerts on the downtown streets, attractive window displays in most of the stores and in some of the establishments style shows, added to the attractiveness of the occasion.

The stores will not be open this evening but will remain open as usual Saturday night.

No estimate of the number of people who visited the downtown district could be obtained today, but merchants feel that the opening feature of the festival was successful.

Motorcycle Runs Down Run Runner

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind.—(INS)—Sam Porter, 31, alleged run runner, was captured by motorcycle policeman Harold Morton and constable R. J. White today after a running fight through the streets of West Indianapolis, which ended with a pedestrian being wounded in the foot, the front of a street car was shattered by bullets and lives of other non-combatants were imperiled.

Fleischmann Yeast Company Is Fined

SPRINGFIELD, Ill.—(INS)—A fine of \$3,000 was levied today on the Fleischmann Yeast company of Ohio by Judge Louis Fitzhenry in federal court here after counsel for the yeast company had filed pleas of "nolo contendere" neither denying nor admitting charges of conspiracy to violate the national prohibition laws.

MACHINE TO "SEE" MUSIC
ALLIANCE, O.—(INS)—It is now possible to see, as well as hear, radio music, Professor F. J. Shollenberger, head of the Mount Union College physics department, announced after recent experiments with a machine he has devised. This new machine projects "living sound waves" on a screen, showing them as they occur on an electrical circuit, according to the professor.

BUNIONS—SORE FEET

Relief In 10 MINUTES

WEL-FUT stops bunions and other foot pains and soothes the swollen, burning sensation in 10 short minutes. Have quick relief from feet tortured by bunions. See how feet miraculously stop burning, stinging or aching in the magic of a few minutes.

WEL-FUT will stop the pain. Simply rub it on. In one application your feet will feel much smaller and your shoes will stop hurting. WEL-FUT is a stainless, greaseless and harmless preparation. Results guaranteed or money back.

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MANY FACTS IN LIBRARY BOOKS

Several Articles on
Vital Questions
On Shelves

A selection of books dealing on some of the vital questions of the day written by prominent economists and practical financial leaders are on the shelves at the P. M. Mueser public library, Miss Cornelia Rhynsbarger, librarian, announced today.

Articles such as "Business Looks At Unemployment," in the Atlantic Monthly, "Remedies for Unemployment," in Current History, "Prospects For Business Recovery," in the Review of Reviews, "Two Decades of Depression," in the New Republic, and many others in the current issues of these and other magazines offer the opportunity of examining the theories advanced by leading authorities as to the cause of the present depression, remedies for unemployment, and the prospects for business recovery.

The understanding of modern business cycles is of inestimable value to every business man. With that idea in mind, a thoughtful perusal of such books as "History of Economic Progress in the United States," by Jennings, "Rationalization and Unemployment," by Hobson and "The Menace of Overproduction," by Hamilton, may be immensely helpful and stimulating.

Books such as "How to find the Right Vocation," by Kitson, "The Book of Opportunities," and "Outline of Careers," by Bernays may be of interest to many who are now selecting a vocation or considering the adoption of a new one.

Some of the books in this selection are: "Some Folks Won't Work," by Calkins.

"Men and Machines," by Chase. "Your Money's Worth," by Chase. "Robots or Men," by Dubreuil. "Menace of Overproduction," by Hamilton.

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"The Older Women in Industry," by Lobenz.

Deeds Recorded

The following deeds were filed Thursday with County Recorder G. C. Parks:

Independent Realty Co., to Fillipa Gaeta, part of lot 1, block 12, city of Muscatine.

Jonathan Walton et ux to Ralph D. Nelson et ux, lot 28, block 13, Park place subdivision to Muscatine.

J. W. Gray, administrator of estate of Charles Cromer to Cora M. Jones, part of lot 10, block 105, city of Muscatine.

John M. Cromer et ux to Cora M. Jones, part of lot 10, block 105, city of Muscatine.

Lincoln T. Barton to Lorence E. Howard et ux, lot 3, block 19, A. Smalley's addition to South Muscatine.

New cars registered on Thursday: E. Miller, 1200 East avenue, Ford coupe; C. L. Hixon, Kemble hotel, Chevrolet coupe; J. W. McBride, West Liberty, Pontiac sedan.

OTTUMWA POLICE MAY GET REWARD

OTTUMWA, Ia.—(INS)—Ottumwa police today were looking forward to receiving a reward for capturing J. Enright, alias Harry Schaffer, alias Frank Brown, one of three "golfing desperadoes" were arrested here Saturday night at the Ottumwa golf club.

Chief of the state bureau of investigation, James E. Riden, was informed today by Sheriff Perome Munn, of Belleville, Ill., that Enright was wanted there for bond forfeiture after having been indicted on a charge of robbery, and the reward had been posted. Enright it was found, had also been arrested in St. Louis and New York.

BRITISH EASY WITH SAILORS

Government Lenient in Action Against Striking Tars

LONDON.—(INS)—The traditional English attitude that the British navy must be kept out of politics was believed at least partially responsible today for the unprecedented "strike" by 12,000 seamen against pay cuts.

While announcing that any future refusals by sailors to obey orders from their commanding officers would meet with regulation disciplinary measures, Sir W. Chamberlain, first lord of the admiralty, declared that no punishment would be meted to those who refused to obey orders "by mutiny" at Invergordon, Scotland.

As a consequence of this official expressed attitude of forgiveness, high officers of the Atlantic fleet met in London with the admiralty board to discuss the seamen's grievances while the sixteen battleships and cruisers involved in the dissatisfaction were returning to their home ports along the English coast.

Orders were issued giving the discontented seamen weekend leave in order that they might have an opportunity to talk over the situation with their wives, who are held chiefly responsible for the strike for inciting their husbands to test against the pay reductions, enforced as part of the coalition government's national economy program.

Future Activities Of Congregational Church Scheduled

Deacons, trustees and the general membership of the First Congregational church met Thursday night to plan future activities of the church. A plan for the Thursday night meetings was outlined as follows: On the first Thursday in the month a picnic supper and get-together for the members and families will be featured; devotionals and a short business session is scheduled for the second Thursday; a meeting for the young married couples will be held on the third Thursday of each month with some meetings being held in the homes; the fourth Thursday will be the meeting date for the Parent-Teacher organization of the church school.

The pastor, the Rev. R. W. Meadfield, announces that there will be no evening service at the church Sunday night as he will give an address at the Oak Grove church, at which time the district religious education council of Muscatine county will be holding sessions. Glenn McCullough of Muscatine will also speak at Sunday night's meeting.

On Sept. 23 the entire county will meet in convention at Wilton Junction.

With Sick Friends At Baker Hospital

New patients admitted to the Baker hospital include Ira Simens of North Dakota, Mrs. Claude Henson, Illinois, John Zmolek and Theodore Moeller of Iowa.

Olsen was charged with taking a quantity of cigars, matches and other merchandise from the Gattison river, as was charged in the warrant.

ANNOUNCEMENT!

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News and Views From Surrounding Communities

MORNING SUN

MORNING SUN, Ia.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Mel McElhinney motored to Ames Monday taking their son Gail, who will enter the Iowa State college for the coming year.

Dale Wilson and Robert Armstrong, left Monday morning for Beaver Falls, Penn., where they are students in Geneva college.

Mr. and Mrs. Nell Trotman, came down from Washington, Saturday to see the latter mother, Mrs. Dave McElhinney, who is quite ill with pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Allen are the parents of a daughter, born Friday. Margaret Griffin and Glen Caldwell gave their report of the National Convention of Young People, at the Sunday school hour at the Union church Sunday morning.

Mrs. A. M. Kilpatrick, took seven first prizes on flowers, and three seconds on canned goods at the Columbus Junction fair last week.

Mrs. Jessie Curran, left Saturday for her home in Denver, after spending the past week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Rebb, took their daughter, Margaret to Quincy, Ill., Thursday, where they joined a friend teacher and together they went to Pittsburgh, Penn., where Miss Rebb is to teach the coming year in a Women's Seminary there.

Miss Dohna Petersen left Monday for Fairfield, to resume her studies at Parsons college.

Rev. and Mrs. Dougherty and family will leave Oct. 12 for Sterling, Kans., to spend a month's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Naylor and family motored to Hedrick, Sunday afternoon to see Rev. J. A. Spitzer, who is still confined to his bed following an automobile accident near Huntington, Ind., while he and Mrs. Spitzer were taking a vacation trip. Rev. Spitzer suffered a broken rib and injuries to his back.

Miss Susie Henderson and Mrs. Anna Hutchison, spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carson south of Burlington.

Mr. and Mrs. John Todd went to Muscatine Friday to attend the sessions of the Conference of the Methodist church, and after taking dinner at one of the hotels, they both became suddenly ill, suffering from ptomaine poisoning. They were able to return home the first of the week.

Rev. M. W. Dougherty, president of the local inter-church association has called a meeting of the executive board, to be held at the home of Mrs. C. M. Hensleigh, Tuesday evening. The other members of the board are Mrs. Lois Honeyman, Mrs. Walter McElhinney and Rev. H. G. Patterson. The first inter-church meeting will be held in the Sharon Reformed Presbyterian church the first part of October, the date to be named later.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Swan came Friday evening from Britt, and will leave Tuesday morning with their household goods for Spirit Lake where Mr. Swan is employed.

There were 19 present at the picnic held in a Locust Grove park Saturday in honor of Mrs. Mary Dotson and daughter Iva and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mullin of Washington, D. C. Those attending from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Myers and family, Kingston; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dotson and family, Mrs. Hattie Dotson, Wapello; Mrs. Theodore Dotson and family, Mrs. Leota Walker, New London. Dinner was served cafeteria at noon, and the afternoon was spent visiting. The men enjoyed horse shoe pitching.

A surprise party was planned for Mrs. George McGinnis on her birthday, Friday, and was held in Locust Grove park. Those attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hill, daughter Mable, and son Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Montgomery, W. E. Maxwell, and J. Atcheson of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wilson, Columbus Junction, Mrs. Wilmer Riecke, Mediapolis, Mrs. O. C. Thompson and daughter Nyle, Mrs. Anna Wheeler, Mrs. Mable Lamb, Mrs. Helen Laur, and two children, Winfield, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Porter, Washington, Mr. and Mrs. George McGinnis, Evelyn, Junior and Leibel.

Gov. Turner will be in Wapello Saturday to attend a mass meeting of farmers, business men and bankers, to be held in the high school auditorium at 2 p. m. Saturday afternoon, at which time they will talk over the possibility of organizing in an effort to stabilize the price of grain, corn and other farm produce. The committee in charge of the meeting are: Earl Lieberknecht of Letts, John Jenkins, G. W. Weber and Jim Cotter of Columbus Junction, R. D. McCullough of Wapello. Plans for this meeting were made Saturday at a meeting of farmers, business men and bankers held at the farm bureau office with about thirty-five present.

Mrs. Minerva Downs, Mrs. Elmer Brown and D. W. Kremer, old students of Howell Academy, were taken to Mt. Pleasant Saturday by Mrs. Nellie Stroup to attend the annual reunion of the students of Howell Academy.

LeRoy Williams has filed suit for divorce from Frances Williams in district court.

The case of E. C. Rogers vs. Hinde, Moore and Stocke, damages, is still going on in district court and will probably go to the jury some time Wednesday.

Marlen Jamison, who was arrested at Morning Sun by Sheriff George Oakes and deputy, Fred Schwob, was taken to the Des Moines county jail at Burlington to await his hearing, date of which has not been made known.

Renovate the Lawn This Fall



Bare Spots in the Lawn Should Be Attended to Now

Established lawns usually need fall treatment after the heat and dry spells of summer and the ravages of pests such as cutworms that sometimes injure the sod. Fall seeding is the remedy. Grass seed should be sown in the fall before the season of fall rains sets in and in time to let the grass get a start before freezing weather sets in. If this cannot be done it is better to wait until winter or early spring to sow it.

Get in a supply of grass seed now and sow it on bare spots, sprinkling commercial fertilizer with it. Roll or tamp it into the soil. New lawns should be seeded at once to get the grass established before it freezes up. The main essentials are good soil as thoroughly prepared as for a vegetable or flower garden. Grass is a heavy feeding plant and as an initial move towards a good sod, fertilizer should be turned into the soil lavishly and it should be added from time to time as the grass is established.

A light dressing of stable manure is the best protection for a newly sown and germinated lawn in the fall and if that is not available, light straw will do. The manure furnishes mulch and fertilizer at the same time. Grass seed is now a specialized business and lawn mixtures are prepared to suit varying conditions of soil, shade and latitude.

Grasses for the south are entirely different from the grasses that flourish in the north. Shady soils need different mixture from soils in full sun. Light soils need still different mixtures from heavy soils. The seed houses have grass seed mixtures prepared for all these situations, so in ordering seed state the conditions under which the grass will grow in your lawn. You will have much better chances of success if such suitable mixtures are planted. Grass seed can be sown during the winter when the ground is covered with snow, choosing a still day. The seed can be seen on the snow and it is much easier to get an even distribution. The melting snow will carry it down to the soil in spring. Order grass seed and have it in the house to be sown when a suitable day for the task happens along. The grass should not be cut short late in the fall. Let it get a reasonable length for winter, the dead tops being a mulch and protection for the roots which can be easily raked off in spring and added to the compost heap. But grass seed from reputable houses. Bargain counter seed is a poor investment as it usually has seed of annual grasses in it, which will make a quick showing but are not permanent.

Many a man thinks he is wise because he has no children to expose his ignorance.

A statesman amiably in the right is no match for a politician pugnaciously in the wrong.

WILTON JUNCTION, Ia.—(Special)—Leo Nicholas and daughters Mary Patricia and Janet of Muscatine spent Saturday with relatives in Wilton and were accompanied home by Miss Gertrude Moriarty for a brief visit.

Lauren Henderson left Saturday for Iowa City on business. Mrs. E. B. Miller, Mrs. L. N. Ayres, Mrs. F. A. Maurer attended the Pdesbyterial at Iowa City Thursday. Much interest was shown and the gathering was well attended.

Mrs. Charles Henderson left Wednesday for Racine, Wis., to get acquainted with her new grandson, who arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wilkerson Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lumker and Mrs. F. A. Duffee attended the

LONE TREE

LONE TREE, Ia.—(Special)—Fern Leaf Chapter Eastern Star Lodge met Tuesday evening in the Masonic hall.

After the business session a short recess was held after which the obligation ceremony was given.

Miss Mary Louise Flemming sang "Star of the East" and "Lead Kindly Light."

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Nichols, Mrs. Anna Daedlow, Mrs. Helen Rice, Mrs. Wilma Mills, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Pike, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Fox, Alvina Kirchmer, Mrs. Elsie Pool and Mrs. Margaret Carl all of Nichols and Mrs. C. M. Cantrell and Mrs. R. Nielson of Lone Tree were guests for the evening.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. W. H. Stonebarger, Mrs. Ross Rayner, Mrs. Bert Matthews, Mrs. James Magruder, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fairies, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sims, Alice Styles and Evelyn Styles.

Mrs. C. Williams of Atkins, Minn., is here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Yocum from Albert Lea, Minn., is visiting relatives here and at Conesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Holderman and son Bobby K., visited in Vilton Sunday with Mrs. Rosa Holioke.

Charles Windess has been drawn on the petit jury which opens at Davenport, Oct. 27.

Miss Lella Wolford, who spent the summer at home has again gone to Stuart, where she is employed as teacher in the schools there.

Dr. E. U. Nash and family, who located here a couple of years ago, moved Tuesday to Greeley, Ia., where the doctor will practice medicine.

KALONA

KALONA, Ia.—(Special)—Daryl Oldaker of Iowa City, is visiting his father, Dr. C. B. Oldaker for a few days before beginning his school work at the University of Iowa.

Mrs. M. N. Adams, Mrs. R. O. Boone and Ralph Adams spent Tuesday afternoon in Lone Tree at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Adams.

Little Evered Ehrig, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Ehrig of Frytown fell from a swing a few days ago breaking his arm. He is getting along nicely.

Charles Snodgrass has been absent from school because of illness.

Mrs. Joe Eimen and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Knepp left Monday for Stuttgart, Ark.

A large crowd attended the pageant held at the Christian church Tuesday evening.

The first football game of the season will be played Friday, Sept. 18, when Richland team will meet the Kalona team on the Kalona field. The game will start at 3:30 p. m. This is the first game of the KE-Wash conference between two fast teams.

Men's golf tournament, 9-hole match play, starting Sept. 16 and ending Nov. 1. Time limit—find the prizes will be awarded: first prize, silver cup; second prize, sterling silver medal; third prize,

silver plated medal and fourth prize, bronze medal.

The entrants are: H. V. Beck vs. Ralph Adams; Lon Martin vs. Everett Teets; E. H. Peterheim vs. Ferdinand Skola; Paul Yoder vs. Willis Geringer; Paul Geringer vs. L. C. Stillwell; Lyle Fry vs. O. L. Rogers; Roy Marner vs. Walter Geringer; Amos Mellinger vs. Ed Hershberger; Hilton Grady vs. F. E. Skola; F. L. Strickler vs. E. J. Hesselshwerdt; Ezra Geringer vs. E. H. Rief; Jack Geringer vs. Lyle Zehr; Ivo Grady vs. H. V. Snodgrass; Glenn Geringer vs. H. A. Mellinger; J. F. O'Laughlin vs. A. Niffenegger; J. R. Swartzendruber vs. G. N. Engstrom; Rufus Geringer vs. Everette Teets; Winscott vs. See; Clyde Kennard vs. Eugene Way; Lovell Strickler vs. Roy Seams; D. J. Guengerich vs. Bert Britton; Chester Walker vs. J. L. Fry; Logan Rief vs. Frank Conklin; W. C. Conklin vs. Frank Conklin; Homer Yoder vs. Ora Geringer; C. G. Tilden vs. T. V. Kneer; E. E. Nash vs. E. H. Rief; Ned Fry vs. Loyd Hershberger.

The ladies have also been matched, the rules and prizes being the same as those in the men's tournament. They have been matched as follows: Adelaide Swartzendruber vs. Jennie Britton; Mrs. Everette Teets vs. Edna Erb; Mrs. H. V. Mellinger vs. Mrs. Ralph Adams; Louise Stillwell vs. Marguerite Skola; Mrs. J. R. Swartzendruber vs. R. H. Peterheim; Molly Geringer vs. Mrs. Lovell Strickler; Mrs. Gerald Teets vs. Cleola Grady; Mrs. Ivo Grady vs. Mrs. Lon Martin; Mrs. Alva Kepler vs. Mrs. Clyde Kennard; Mrs. E. H. Rief vs. Mrs. H. V. Snodgrass; Helen Peterheim vs. Iara Stillwell; Mrs. H. V. Beck vs. Mrs. C. G. Tilden; Mrs. Winscott vs. Mrs. See; Mrs. G. N. Engstrom vs. Bernice Geringer; Mrs. D. J. Guengerich vs. Mrs. E. J. Hesselshwerdt; Norma Tilden vs. Helen Snodgrass; Mrs. Frank vs. Mrs. T. V. Kneer and Mrs. W. O. Conklin vs. Mrs. S. W. Yoder.

WON'T RUN FOR MAYOR — NEW HAVEN, Conn.—(INS)—James W. Hook, formerly of Ames, Iowa, was twice drafted by Connecticut interests, once to come here to manage a great manufacturing plant, and again to take charge of the state's unemployment situation. But Mr. Hook has decided he will not permit New Haven to draft him as candidate for mayor.

Mr. Hook's success with the state job had attracted the public notice, but when he was asked to run for mayor, he said emphatically, "Wouldn't consider it for a moment."

FOR HIGHER INCOME TAX — MEXICO CITY — (INS)—The Mexican government has under consideration a proposal urging abolition of a personal revenue tax in favor of a higher income tax. The National Chamber of Commerce has repeatedly petitioned the government to carry out the plan, arguing that suppression of the internal revenue stamp system not only would prove a boost to national industries, but that it would effect a large saving in administrative expenditures.

MONTPELIER

MONTPELIER, Ia.—(Special)—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nettleton and daughter Evelyn, Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Watts and daughter Mildred, attended the Watts reunion at Cedar bottom Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pulse and family of Davenport and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pulse of Fairport spent Sunday at the S. J. Pulse home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Marane and family of Wilton were supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Buywesk Sunday.

Church services meeting hours have been changed the Junior league meeting on alternate Sunday nights at 7 o'clock, church service at 8 o'clock and preaching service at 7:30 o'clock on the evening the league does not meet. The league will meet next Sunday evening. Choir practice will be held here after at 7:30 o'clock Friday evenings.

The Moline Cubs defeated the Montpelier Cubs 8 to 1, Sunday with Blanchard and Kemper batteries for the local and Hyland and Richards for Moline.

Fred Schroeder and sister Pearl have returned from a week's visit in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Welsh and son of Fairport visited Sunday with relatives here.

Fred Schroeder opened a store here Saturday. Roses were presented to the lady patrons, cigars and pop to the men.

Rosella Sheets of Davenport

spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sheetz.

The Montpelier Ladies' Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Marvin Vinger this afternoon at the church parlors.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Baer entertained a group of friends in their home Saturday evening playing cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nettleton attended the mail carriers reunion which was held at Muscatine Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Wainscott and son Boyd and Betty Jane, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Dipple, Edmond and Marvin Rinnert visited at the William Martz home near Muscatine Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Clements and family of Mechanicsville took dinner at the Ed Buywesk home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Nugent entertained the following in their home Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Laundell and family, Mrs. Alma Laundell of East Moline, Mr. and Mrs. Christina and Margaret Olson of Davenport, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lobdell and family and George Fuller of Montpelier.

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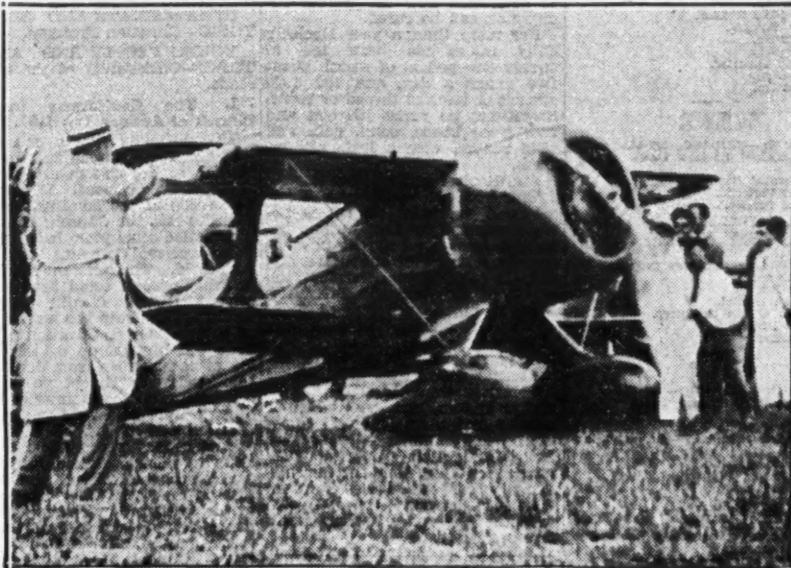
VICTIM'S KIN START FIGHT TO REGAIN BLUEBEARD MONEY HOARD

May-December Marriage Cracks Up



Frank B. McNeil, 64-year-old Mayor of Paris, Tenn., is reported to have admitted a separation from his 17-year-old bride, Polly Bishop Clark, an ex-waitress. His objection to her taking younger men for rides in his automobile was given as the cause of the marital crack-up. The pair are pictured above just after wedding last year.

Jimmy Doolittle Streaks From Coast to Coast in 11 Hours, 15 Minutes



Leading seven competitors into Cleveland in the California-Cleveland air derby, thereby winning the Bendix trophy, Maj. James Doolittle, Army ace, roared on to New York and set a new coast-to-coast mark of 11 hours, 15 minutes. Former record, held by Capt. Frank Hawks, was 12 hours, 25 minutes. In above photo Doolittle is seen landing at Cleveland and at right he's pictured waving to crowds at Newark, N. J., airport after record dash.

Sister of Victim Confronts Powers



A move to strip bluebeard Harry Powers of the money for which he murdered Mrs. Dorothy Pressler Lemke, has been launched in Clarksburg, W. Va., by Mrs. Charles L. Flemming, a sister of the slain woman. Here Mrs. Flemming is seen as she confronted the bluebeard in a dramatic meeting in the Clarksburg jail.

Participants in Cycling Rodeo



What's new and what's old in bicycles was viewed by Philadelphia through the other day as participants in novel cycling rodeo rode through the streets. Entrants included nearly every type of bicycle in existence. Garbed in costumes of yesteryear, Carlyn Kelly and Marie Doyle, two fair participants, are seen as they were about to swing into line.

Allan Hoover in Honolulu, Prepares for Canoe Jaunt



Stripped to the waist, Allan Hoover (second from right) soaks in the warm sunshine at Honolulu Beach with Duke Kahanamoku (second from left) noted Hawaiian swimmer, and A. L. Castle, brother of the Assistant Secretary of State. The trio were snapped at Waikiki as they prepared for a sail in an outrigger native canoe.

Marine Pilots Who Leaped to Safety Get "Caterpillar" Pins



Lieut. Lawson Sanderson (left) and Lieut. W. O. Brice, U. S. Marine pilots who thrilled crowds at Cleveland air races the other day when they leaped to safety in parachutes after their planes collided in mid-air, thereby becoming members of the Caterpillar Club, are seen receiving their "club" pins from Assistant Secretary of the Navy David S. Ingalls, at Cleveland airport.

Cadets Tune Up



This beautiful bit of his twisting action was displayed by Henry Sebastian, halfback of the Army grid squad, as he dashed around the end for a gain in the season's first practice by the cadet regulars and hopefuls at West Point, N. Y.

Legionnaires Travel to Detroit Convention in French War-time Freight Car



This French freight car, of the same type in which Uncle Sam's doughboys traveled from place to place in war-torn France, is bearing these members of the Rochester, N. Y., post of the American Legion to the convention in Detroit, Mich. The car, mounted on rubber tires, is hauled by a replica of a French war-time locomotive.

Queen Helen Arrives Home



Returning from the East where she garnered new tennis laurels and recaptured the women's singles crown which she tossed aside two years ago, Mrs. Helen Wills Moody was met in San Francisco by her husband, Frederick S. Moody, with whom she's seen above. Queen Helen revealed plans for a forthcoming sketching and tennis tour of the Orient.

Wins Golf Crown



By defeating Jack Westland 4 and 5 in the final round of the National Amateur golf championship at Chicago, Francis Ouimet, veteran golfer of Boston, Mass., regained the crown which he lost sixteen years ago and which was vacated last year by Bobby Jones. Ouimet, wearing smile of victory, is pictured above with the trophy. His first win was in 1914.

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Vaccination Dangerous Superstition--Stop It!

Readers who are unacquainted with medical history may well be excused for saying, "Surely the medical profession would not advocate and defend vaccination if it were nothing but dangerous quackery." It would take up too much space to deal fully with this natural inquiry. One answer is an appeal to history. They did so defend arm-to-arm vaccination, also the practice of smallpox inoculation, also the operation of blood-letting, etc., etc., all of which practices modern medicine admit were terrible blunders. In fact, the history of medicine reveals one practice and theory after another that was favored at the time to be repudiated later. Nothing is more certain than that future generations of the profession will look back upon vaccination and all inoculations as one of the most grotesque medical superstitions which has ever bewitched the minds of the profession. Some of the profession's most distinguished members have already so described it and have been sadly persecuted for their temerity. Such is the fate of those who dare defy the tenets of professionalism, especially when those tenets happen, as in the case of vaccination, to be subsidized by the State which is the case in many States of the U. S. Abuses will not be remedied by those who profit by them, and the small proportion of the medical who are profiting from wholesale inoculations, backed by the vaccine and serum manufacturers, will not discontinue the use of this method of preventive medicine as long as it is on its present commercialized basis—one which means thousands of dollars annually to organized medicine, and in which millions are invested.

That this rank superstition should ever have gained such headway cannot be accounted for in any other way than that it was most profitable to keep this delusion alive. The whole blame for this superstition should not, however, be attributed entirely to the doctors. Leaders of public welfare movements have been and still are at fault also. The question has been regarded with indifference. Such an attitude might be excusable, if vaccination were merely a medical question, however, it is much more than a matter which concerns medical practice. It is the basis of a vast amount of legislation which forces it upon the public in many sections of the country, and it is a matter of vital issue to a great many people as a result.

Take for example, two years ago, in Milford, New Hampshire, where a Mr. Albert W. Peacock was confined in jail for a period of six months and treated like a common criminal because he refused to have his son vaccinated. This form of blood pollution was the penalty there for a child to receive an education, and as Mr. Peacock refused to give his permission for the blood pollution of his son, the child was refused permission to attend school, and technically Mr. Peacock sentenced to a term in jail for contributing to the delinquency of a minor. At the end of six months he was "paroled" by the Governor due to aroused public sentiment. The following year charges were again instituted against the father, though on account of this aroused public opinion no action was taken. The son Roy has been educated at home, being denied a public school education, and the charges are still pending against Mr. Peacock. What the final outcome will be remains to be seen. This is just one of many such cases which could be cited to show the vital effect upon many people of the compulsory vaccination laws as carried out in some

parts of this supposedly enlightened country. It is due to such cases that resulted in the organization of numerous strong anti-vaccination societies. These organizations have done a great deal in educating the public against the propaganda of organized medicine, and the movement is gaining headway constantly. The most prominent of these organizations is the American Medical Liberty League with headquarters in Chicago. This organization has spent thousands of dollars in leaflets and pamphlets which informs the public of the truth concerning vaccination and in fact all inoculations. Statistics are carefully compiled without the usual misrepresentation, and in themselves are the strongest argument against compulsory medication of any kind. A press organ, the AVANCE, is published monthly in order to keep the members, and others who are interested, informed of the progress along the lines of individual liberty, and a legal department is maintained for the benefit of members. When dragged into medical whist or not he wants any medication, is just as essential as the right to decide for himself, in matters of religion, and neither one should be forced upon the individual against his wishes. Such an organized medicine would ignore individual rights and force Allopathic medicine upon every one even though only a minority of the people favor this school of medicine.

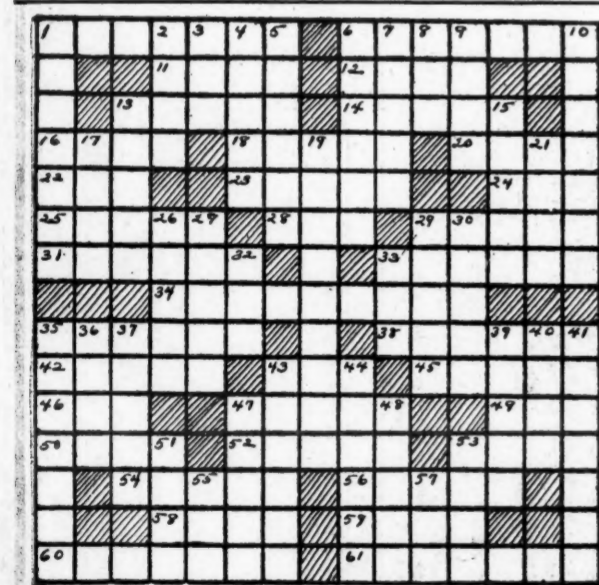
Among the important functions of these anti-vaccination societies is compilation of data and lists of fatalities due to inoculation; also, where there is serious damage done which is directly traceable to inoculation, records are carefully prepared and published. Since vaccination has become a political and social question in the United States these organizations are fighting for national health and to establish medical liberty on the same basis as religious liberty as it should be. In fact, the right of the individual to choose his own medical treatment or not he wants any medication, is just as essential as the right to decide for himself, in matters of religion, and neither one should be forced upon the individual against his wishes. Such an organized medicine would ignore individual rights and force Allopathic medicine upon every one even though only a minority of the people favor this school of medicine.

(To be continued)

GRADS BARRED FROM GYM
NEW HAVEN, Conn.—(INS)—Yale graduates here were more than shocked when word went forth that they were to be barred from using the Yale University gymnasium. Equally perturbed were the heads of public schools who had been able to teach their swimming teams in the Carnegie Pool. Because outsiders congested the gymnasium late in the afternoon when students desired to use it, the new order was arranged. Each school paid \$400 a season, and the graduates also paid for the use of the equipment.

AUTOISTS' JAIL RECORD
HARTFORD, Conn.—(INS)—Motor vehicle law violators paid the State of Connecticut over \$220,000 in the year 1930. Terms aggregating 111 years, 337 days were served by offenders who were sentenced to jail. For speeding, \$52,628 was paid to the state; for using liquor when driving \$20,068 was paid. But while speeders spent 390 days in jail, offenders against the law concerning operating under influence of liquor had to serve 14,604 days in jail. Confiscation of 10,903 licenses for driving.

Crossword Puzzle



Horizontal

- 1—Try to force
- 2—Digging
- 3—British seaport in Arabia
- 4—Subsequently
- 5—Let down
- 6—At a distance
- 7—Refined ore
- 8—Deputed
- 9—Man's nickname
- 10—Period of time
- 11—However
- 12—Smooths
- 13—Attempts
- 14—Girl's name
- 15—Grave
- 16—Pleasantly
- 17—Injury
- 18—City in New York
- 19—Puzzle
- 20—Acquire information
- 21—Pronoun
- 22—Fungus
- 23—Turninate
- 24—Ledge
- 25—Star in constellation Lyra
- 26—Eagerness
- 27—Bird's cry
- 28—Exhilarate
- 29—Measured by steps
- 30—Retired
- 31—Arab leader
- 32—Utter
- 33—Determined

Vertical

- 1—Freebooters
- 2—Deface
- 3—Obtuse
- 4—Joe
- 5—Highway
- 6—Slipped
- 7—Images
- 8—Recent
- 9—Was certain
- 10—Shine
- 11—Crippled
- 12—Contradict

Yesterday's Puzzle Solved:

VAR OERA ROV
EYE FIED UKE
BEADED DAN DO
DIN EEN GOV
PEEP AGE FAVE
OAR CHIS RUT
ET CURTAIN TO
DUE ARM KEY
SHOE ASK FANE
FEN SLY FAL
OR GOT FALISE
TOLE AOT GOC
DIM ROTS JET

Broadcasts

Programs for Saturday

WOC—WHO
592.5 Meters—1000 Kilocycles
(Central Standard Time)

A. M.
7:00—"Glee and Glen."
7:15—"Dance Orchestra."
8:00—"Program."
8:30—"Hills and Dills."
9:00—"Vocal Soloists."
9:30—"Opening Hog Wash and Market Reports."
9:45—"Haymakers."
10:15—"Haymakers Ensemble."
10:30—"Home Management."
10:45—"Closing Market Reports."
11:00—"Farm and Home Hour."
11:30—"Dance Program."
11:45—"Haymakers Ensemble."
12:00—"Society Rawkins."
12:30—"Musical Musketiers."
1:00—"Organ Program."
1:15—"News Review."
1:30—"Program."
1:45—"Fela One Ona Trio."
2:00—"Baseball Scores."
2:15—"Civic Concert."
2:30—"Silver Platte."
2:45—"Program."
3:00—"Dance Orchestra."
3:15—"The Romancers."
3:30—"Weather Forecast."
3:45—"Dance Orchestra."
4:00—"Dance Orchestra."

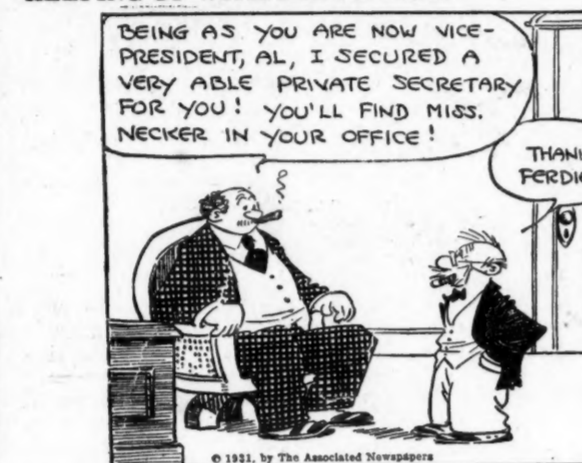
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870 Kc.—CHICAGO—345 M.
(Daylight Savings Time)

A. M.
6:00—"Celebrated Sayings."
6:30—"Vocal Varieties."
7:00—"Home Service."
7:30—"BASEBALL BROADCAST:
Chicago Cubs vs. Brooklyn."
8:00—"Orchestra."
8:30—"Air Juniors—children's program."
9:00—"Orchestra."
9:30—"Nick Lucas."
10:00—"Sonata Musical."
10:30—"Trials of the Goldbergs."
11:00—"Dance Orchestra."
11:30—"Dance Orchestra."

WLS
870 Kc.—CHICAGO—345 M.
(Daylight Savings Time)

A. M.
6:00—"Smile a While Time."
6:30—"Breakfast Brunch"—Gospel Tabernacle.
7:00—"Popular Melodies."
7:15—"Steamboat Bill."
7:30—"News Flash."
7:45—"Organ Sketch."
8:00—"Melodies—old and new."
8:15—"Weather; hog wash."
8:30—"Livestock, Poultry, Ridge Runners."
8:45—"Orchestra."
9:00—"Variety Musical Program—
12:45—"Sahara Singers."
1:00—"News Flash."
1:15—"Dinner Bell Program."
1:30—"Grain Market—Weather Report."
1:45—"Baby Chick Program."
2:00—"Musicals."
2:15—"Variety."

"KEEPING UP WITH THE JONESSES"



"PAM"



"SKY ROADS"



BUCK ROGERS, 2430 A. D.



EATS HARDWARE TO AID SCIENCE DIGESTION TEST

CHICAGO—(INS)—Chicago has a new martyr to science. He is Frederick Hoelzel who has a particular appetite for hardware and he is helping physiologists of the University of Chicago to determine how the world's indigestion can be cured. For more than a year Hoelzel's daily ration has been ten to twenty-five pellets of metal, about five grams a day, and 100 little strands of knotted thread or twine. Sometimes he varies his diet and eats glass beads, sand, gold and solid rubber, with a little salt on them. And Hoelzel says he likes it. This research work with Hoelzel as a volunteer subject is being conducted by Prof. Anton Julius Carlson, head of the physiology department of the university, who is seeking to determine the length of time and the difficulties involved in the progress of foods of various weights through the alimentary canal. A year's study of Hoelzel's experiments shows that glass makes the fastest time through the digestive system, and gold, which is heavier and more "inert," sometimes takes as much as twenty-two days for the same journey. The normal length of time for the "alimentary tour" is two days, however. As this diet has little food value to Hoelzel, he eats a healthy man's fare every day.

There Was A Reason



A New Citizen!



Stumbles Upon Key To Code



Martian Ship Appears



Sunday School Lesson

LESSON FOR SEPTEMBER 20

The Council at Jerusalem

GOLDEN TEXT—For, brethren, ye have been called unto liberty; only use not liberty for an occasion to the flesh, but by love serve one another.

PRIMARY TOPIC—Christians Working Together.

JUNIOR TOPIC—The first Missionary Convention.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Christian Freedom.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Christianity at the Crossroads.

I. The Controversy in the Church at Antioch (vv. 1-8).

This difficulty was a most serious one, for it threatened the disruption of the church into Jewish and Gentile divisions. It was not a question of the admission of the Gentiles into the Church, but of the working of signs and wonders through them.

2. Paul and Barnabas rehearsed their experience (v. 12). They told how that God had set his seal of approval on their preaching of salvation by grace through faith apart from the works of the law by the working of signs and wonders through them.

3. The argument of James (vv. 14-21). He took the fact declared by Peter and showed how it harmonized with the prophecy of Amos (Amos 9:11-15). He showed that the reception of the Gentiles was not in conflict but in strict harmony with God's plan. As set forth in the speech of James God's plan is as follows:

a. To take out from among the Gentiles a people for his name (v. 14). This is what is now going on—the preaching of the gospel to the ends of the earth, and the calling out of the Church.

b. After the Church is completed and removed, the Israelitish nation will be converted and restored to their land and privileges by the Lord himself at his return (vv. 16, 17).

c. Following this will be the conversion of the world through the agency of converted Israel (v. 17 cf. Rom. 11:15-17). He showed that

there is no conflict when the Scriptures are rightly divided.

III. The Decision of the Council (vv. 22-23).

The mother church came to a unanimous agreement and accepted the resolution offered by James. They not only sent a letter stating the decision of the conference, but took the wise precaution to send influential men along with Paul and Barnabas to bear the same testimony by word of mouth. This letter denied the authority of the Judaizing teachers (v. 24) and declared the method by which this decision had been reached (vv. 25-27). They put the Holy Spirit, first. They were positively instructed to abstain from meats offered to idols, from blood, and from things strangled, and from fornication.

IV. The Decision Delivered to the Church (vv. 30-35).

Upon their return to Antioch, the church was called together to hear the report. Its reading brought great rejoicing. Judas and Silas, who had been sent as confirmatory witnesses, being prophets, now exhorted the brethren with many words, confirming the decision of the Jerusalem church.

Abiding in Christ

Abiding in Christ does not mean that you must always be thinking about Christ. You are in a house, abiding in its enclosure or beneath its shelter, though you are not always thinking about the house itself. But you always know when you leave it.—F. B. Meyer.

God Is In All

Be he nowhere else, God is in all that liberates and lifts, in all that humbles, sweetens, and consoles.—Lowell.

BRAINTREE, Mass.—(INS)—Cain is still throwing things Abel's way. George Cain and Charlie Abel furnish the battery for the Braitree A. A. This modern Cain, has the Indian sign on opposing battlers, while Abel directs Cain in the art of fooling the batsmen.

By POP MOMAND

By A. W. BREWERTON

By LESTER J. MAITLAND

By PHIL NOWLAN and DICK CALKINS

Complete Market Reports

GRAIN FUTURES TRIFLE LOWER IN WHEAT PIT

Final Corn Prices Are Slightly Higher; Oats Steady

CHICAGO (INS)—A strong undertone in September deliveries featured a generally lower closing in grain futures here today.

Nearly options in most important cereals were in good demand, while deferred futures encountered pressure owing to weakness in securities.

Final prices for wheat were 1/4 to 1/2 lower, corn 1/4 to 1/2 down and oats steady to 1/4 off. Rye was 1/4 to 1/2 lower.

Estimated carlot receipts were: Wheat 27, corn 72 and oats 50.

Wheat covered a narrow range during the forenoon, September received fair support and acted high, but other deliveries were under moderate pressure due to weakness abroad and ease in securities.

Support was light and mainly on resting orders. Relative strength in northwest markets failed to have much influence here.

The Liverpool market was down 1/4 to 1/2 owing to pressure of nearby Argentine wheat offerings.

Weather over the Canadian northwest was much cooler with a few scattered showers. Argentine shipments were 1,170,000 bushels and Australia 1,615,000 bushels.

The general corn list was inclined to follow action in wheat, shipping demand continues good and country offerings to arrive larger.

Oats and rye failed to make much headway either way in rather dull trading.

CASH GRAIN
WHEAT—No. 2 red 50 1/2@51 1/4; 4 red 46 1/2; 2 northern spring 48 1/2; mixed 31 1/2; 3 yellow 42 1/2; 4 yellow 44 1/2; 5 yellow 46 1/2; 6 yellow 48 1/2; 7 yellow 50 1/2; 8 yellow 52 1/2; 9 yellow 54 1/2; 10 yellow 56 1/2; 11 yellow 58 1/2; 12 yellow 60 1/2; 13 yellow 62 1/2; 14 yellow 64 1/2; 15 yellow 66 1/2; 16 yellow 68 1/2; 17 yellow 70 1/2; 18 yellow 72 1/2; 19 yellow 74 1/2; 20 yellow 76 1/2; 21 yellow 78 1/2; 22 yellow 80 1/2; 23 yellow 82 1/2; 24 yellow 84 1/2; 25 yellow 86 1/2; 26 yellow 88 1/2; 27 yellow 90 1/2; 28 yellow 92 1/2; 29 yellow 94 1/2; 30 yellow 96 1/2; 31 yellow 98 1/2; 32 yellow 100 1/2; 33 yellow 102 1/2; 34 yellow 104 1/2; 35 yellow 106 1/2; 36 yellow 108 1/2; 37 yellow 110 1/2; 38 yellow 112 1/2; 39 yellow 114 1/2; 40 yellow 116 1/2; 41 yellow 118 1/2; 42 yellow 120 1/2; 43 yellow 122 1/2; 44 yellow 124 1/2; 45 yellow 126 1/2; 46 yellow 128 1/2; 47 yellow 130 1/2; 48 yellow 132 1/2; 49 yellow 134 1/2; 50 yellow 136 1/2; 51 yellow 138 1/2; 52 yellow 140 1/2; 53 yellow 142 1/2; 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COUNCIL WILL POST ACTIONS IN CITY HALL

Argument Over Paper Advertising Rate Up at Meeting

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get the business; Alderman Stolzenau made a motion, seconded by Alderman Mattheissen, that the city attorney draw up a resolution making such action legal; Alderman Schoemaker made a motion that the city attorney investigate whether or not, since the ordinance said the publishing of the proceedings should alternate between the Free Press and Journal, the Journal would have grounds for action if Schoemaker was the only one put to press for the next two weeks; then he made a motion that the matter be published in the Muscatine Herald, and this one was seconded by Alderman M. A. Barr.

Withdraws Motion
The last motion of Alderman Schoemaker was the only one put to a vote and it carried with Alderman Mattheissen casting the only dissenting vote. More discussion followed and Alderman Schoemaker, with the consent of his second, withdrew his motion and Alderman Mattheissen moved that the proceedings, for Thursday night only, be not published in any newspaper, but posted in the city hall. This motion was carried unanimously and the city attorney drew up a resolution to that effect, which was also carried.

Just previous to this Alderman Schoemaker moved that the printing of a notice for property owners to cut their trees to comply with the city ordinance, which requires that all trees be trimmed a distance of ten feet from the sidewalk, be published in the Muscatine Herald. This will be the only city matter to be printed in any newspaper this week.

All in all Thursday night's council meeting proved a hectic one for the aldermen. Its very opening was charged with dramatics, and the old question of whether or not a building, constructed for commercial purposes in a certain district, can be occupied for business purposes after that district has been made a restricted area, bobbed up again.

When the council convened some 20 or 30 men, all residents of the Muscatine street district, were present. And shortly after the meeting was called to order the aldermen were well aware of their presence.

Argument Commences

The main question seemed to be whether or not the neighborhood in this vicinity of Monroe street and First avenue was going to be allowed to support a barber shop.

Here the situation. Some time ago a Mr. Nicol erected a brick building on the sidewalk line at First avenue and Monroe street. The building was intended for commercial purposes, but the owner who occupied it when it was first constructed closed up shop.

But about two months ago Mr. Nicol repaired the building somewhat, according to reports to the council, and rented it to Walter Fredmore who established a barber shop there.

Since then it has been the residents in that vicinity didn't care much for the building's appearance, and since it is located in a restricted district, they have been accused for bringing their troubles to the city council. The neighbors of the barber shop demanded its removal instantly.

Barber Shop Remains
But Mr. Fredmore had moved into the shop. He had a barber chair of so, and other implements of his trade and although the citizens told their troubles to the city fathers, he continued to shave waders and cut hair.

Again the council was appealed to, and City Attorney C. H. Fishburn, thinking to bring matters to a head on the question of whether or not the city ordinance, which designated a district in general and this one in particular as a restricted area, could be enforced, suggested to the council that they instruct the city marshal to notify the barber that he would have to hunt another place in which the populace might come to have their locks shorn.

Had the city councilmen used a this year's hornet's nest with which to play kittenball it is doubtful if they would have stirred up more excitement.

Thursday night a petition asking that the barber shop remain as presented to the council. All the signatures were not counted but Floyd McKinney, city recorder, said there were 21 signatures on one page and there were seven pages.

Ordinance Passed
City Attorney Fishburn was appealed to and read the ordinance which makes the Monroe street district a restricted area. It stipulates that since about 65 per cent of the property owners in the district be restricted the ordinance prohibiting the erection of no buildings with the exception of residences, schools or churches be built, repaired or occupied without the owner first securing a permit and no permit shall be issued if 60 per cent of the property owners object, was passed.

The mayor declared that in conversation with residents in the district he drew the conclusion that if the building were repaired and "fixed up" the property owners would withdraw their objection.

City Attorney Fishburn raised the question as to whether or not if the barber shop were permitted to remain it would not mean an opening wedge for other businesses to come into the district. A resident of the neighborhood declared that within a short distance of the barber shop two stores and a small laundry are operating.

City Engineer H. H. Fitzgerald said that when the permit to erect the building the district had not been restricted.

Another Petition Asked
Alderman Stolzenau sought to end the controversy by remarking that it was his understanding that

Where Body of Collings, Victim of Pirate Attack Was Found

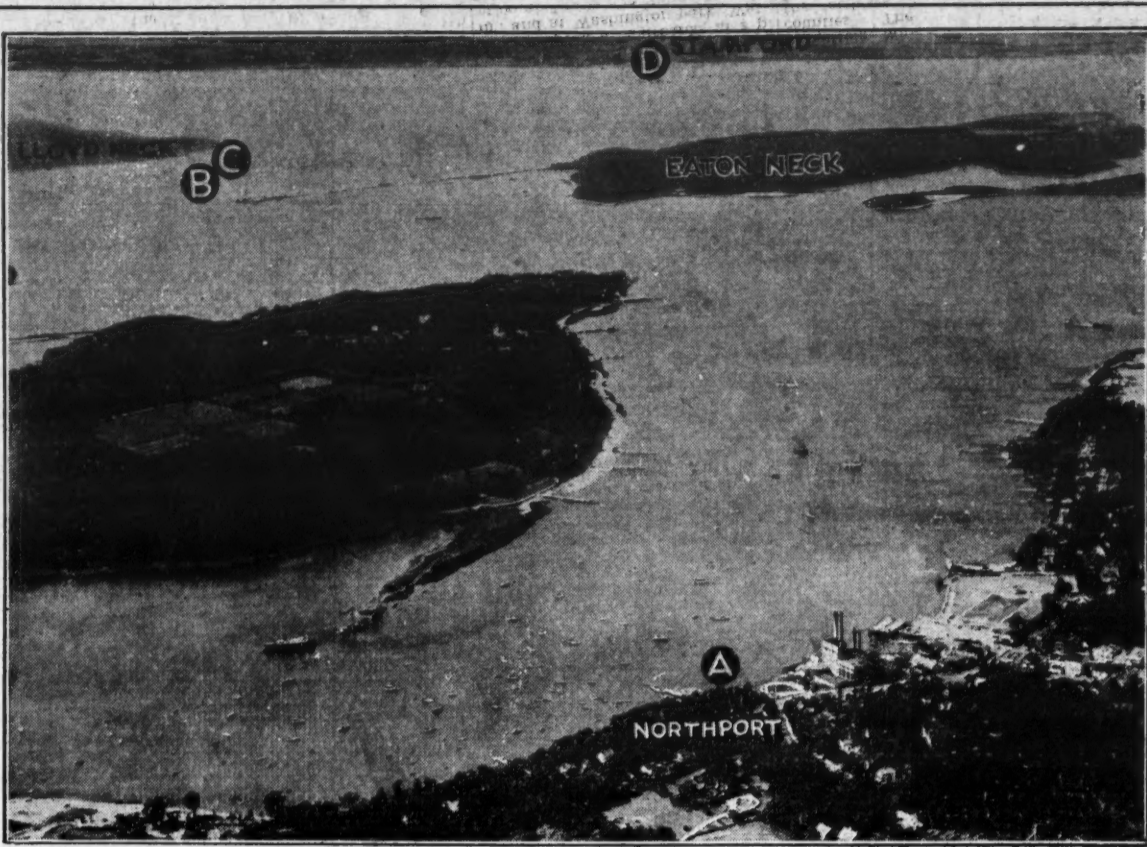


Photo-diagram of Long Island sound, made from an airplane picture, where the body of Benjamin P. Collings, retired broker, came to the surface of the water a week after his death. (a) Indicates North-

port, where Mrs. Collings says slayer boarded husband's boat. (b) Indicates where Barbara Collings was found, alone on their yacht, the Penguin, and (c) where Collings' body was found. (d) Shows location of Stamford, home of the Collings family.

SEPTEMBER 24 FLY-FREE DATE

Planting of Winter Wheat Is Advised At That Time

September 24 is announced as the Hessian fly-free date to begin the planting of winter wheat with safety in Muscatine county, according to word received today by Carl Rylander, county agent, from the state agricultural department.

Nearby counties which have been given the same fly-free date are Johnson, Cedar, Muscatine, Scott and Clinton.

During the past two years, the Hessian flies have been increasing in numbers in Iowa. The heaviest infestations appear to be in Monona and Lee counties. Parasites occur in considerable numbers in western Iowa, but they are not numerous enough to control the fly.

Control of the Hessian fly, it is pointed out by the state department, is a matter of community-wide interest in observance of the fly-free dates, and the destruction of volunteer wheat. The first flies to emerge deposit their eggs on volunteer wheat. During the past eight years, a partial second brood of flies has been observed to begin to emerge from the volunteer wheat.

In Monona county, it is shown that volunteer wheat serves as a source of infestation in the late fall and following spring. If possible, volunteer wheat should be destroyed immediately. No wheat should be above the ground during the egg-laying of fall brood of Hessian fly, state agriculturalists say.

The alderman who makes a motion to accept the petition was by so doing violate the law, but he believed that if 60 per cent of the property owners there signed a petition asking that the shop be kept there the council would grant it.

But that didn't satisfy the residents of Monroe street and vicinity. They seemed to think it was up to the council to take action Thursday night.

Stolzenau again sought to end the argument which had already lasted two hours, and moved that the matter be deferred for two weeks. This motion was carried and at the next meeting the aldermen will probably have a repetition of Thursday night's arguments.

It may or it may not have been that the two hours of bickering got on the mayor's nerves. Be that as it may, after the Monroe street question was disposed of he asked to be excused from the meeting and Alderman Edward Horst of the second ward acted as the chairman of the meeting for the rest of the session.

Ordinances Passed
Two ordinances of long standing were passed Thursday night. The first one sets the salary of the assistant chief of police at \$120.75 instead of \$115. This was done to make the police and fire departments on an equal basis as far as salaries are concerned. The civil service commission discovered that the assistant chief of the fire department was drawing more money than the assistant chief of police, and requested that the matter be arranged.

Salaries of other members of the police department were also fixed by the ordinance. They are as follows: Chief, \$150 per month; captains, \$115.50 per month; policemen, \$110 per month; stock policeman, \$110 per month, motorcycle officer \$110 per month and desk sergeants, \$110 per month. It also provided that all police officers who had been on duty one year should be allowed a vacation of 15 consecutive days with full pay.

The other ordinance set the grade of the alley from Broadway to Climer street between Eighth street and Newell avenue. The alley will have a slight raise from Broadway street for a distance of 300 feet for a slight down grade to Climer street.

What Council Did Last Night

A resolution to instruct the city treasurer to purchase Muscatine county bonds with money now in possession of the cemetery board which was received for perpetual care of lots at Greenwood cemetery, will be drawn up by the city attorney. The cemetery board has about \$3,900 on hand at present.

The street commissioner was instructed to remove all surplus dirt from the sewer ditch on Kinder avenue and repair a storm drain on cherry street beside the steps leading to Second street.

The 24 inch sewer at the foot of Oak street will be extended for 48 feet by the street commissioner. The necessary additional pipe will be bought from Max Hartung.

The head crossing at the intersection of Jackson street and Grand avenue will be repaired by the street commissioner, who will also fill cracks in the pavement on Benham street.

The grade of Jackson street from First avenue to Park avenue will be determined by the city engineer.

Weeds on Bush street below Hershey avenue, on Warren street and in front of the Relief House, will be cut by the street commissioner.

Catch basin tops which have become broken will be replaced by the street commissioner.

Members of the city council instructed the street commissioner to raise and repair the sidewalk opposite the American Legion home on the river front. This is city property.

A request of Pauline Leu to erect a sign at 221 Iowa avenue was granted.

The bond of Thomas Maher of \$245, in connection with his contract to erect steps on Cherry street to Second street, was accepted.

The request of Harry Mills to erect two curb gasoline pumps on Hershey avenue near Main street, was granted.

A report of the police department, stating that 65 arrests had been made during the past month, was received and accepted.

The finance committee's report, showing expenditures of \$7,292.23 was accepted.

A total of \$3,415 in general taxes and \$1,315.63 in special taxes was collected by the city collector during the past month according to his report which was received and accepted.

A balance of \$101,076.69 is now in the city treasury, according to report of the city treasurer which was received and accepted.

The report of H. D. Horst, police judge, of \$107.01 collected during the past month, was accepted.

Farm Women Units Of County To Be Fully Organized

Muscatine county will be organized 100 per cent in women's farm bureau project work with the organization next Friday of the township who are interested in the study project for the coming year attend the meeting.

MODIFICATION POLICY GAINS

White House Studies Census Facts Upon Brewing Business

When about half of the states were dry, approximately 75,000 men were actually employed in the manufacture of beer. In 1919, due to the spread of prohibition and the closing of breweries in states voting dry, the number of employees had shrunk to 42,000, and in 1929, after nine years of prohibition, out 6,500 men were employed in the breweries manufacturing near beer.

Those who have been stressing the employment aspects of the return of beer content, however, that the brewing itself accounts for but a fraction of the employment that would be afforded by the return of the beverage. The census figures supplied the White House account for only those actually employed in the manufacture, and do not take into account the transportation workers, barrel, bottle and cap workers, and allied classes of labor employed in its distribution.

1,500,000 Would Get Jobs
The American federation of labor estimates that more than 1,500,000 workers would be given employment by the return of beer.

On the revenue side, the treasury figures show that in 1914, the federal government derived \$67,081,512 from taxes on beer and ale, and that in 1919, despite the spread of prohibition through various states, this revenue was increased to \$125,727,500.

The revenue from distilled liquors, I. E., "hard" liquors, for the same years was \$159,000,000 in 1914, and \$443,839,500 in 1919.

On the basis of these figures, the advocates of "beer for revenue" are inclined to claim justification for their prediction that a return of beer at this time could be made to the return of beer, or rather he revenue of \$500,000,000 a year. For one thing, they point out, the tax could be made several times as stiff as the old pre-prohibition rate, and for another thing they believe, rightly or wrongly, that the consumption rate would be greater than before. There has been a 24 per cent increase in population. Other taxes, they point out, are productive several times the amount realized in pre-prohibition days, and they contend beer would be no exception.

The purpose of the White House in calling upon the government bureau for the statistics, is of course, unrevealed. Whether Mr. Hoover merely desired to examine figures to obtain possible refutation of some of the claims that have been advanced to him in favor of the return of beer, or whether he wanted them for serious study, has not been disclosed. But the fact that the White House went to the trouble of getting the statistics indicates, at least, that some thought is being given the matter.

J. Lenker to Talk At Farmers' Meet At Eliza Tonight

Although Norman Baker, popular Muscatine farm lecturer, was asked to deliver an address at Eliza, Ill., this evening when farmers hold a big mass meeting, he deemed it advisable to rest instead because of a number of speaking engagements in the immediate future. Five appearances have been arranged for him during the next two days.

Two of Mr. Baker's speaking dates fall on Saturday and three on Sunday. Saturday he is scheduled to speak at Fairbanks at 2 p. m., and at Washington park, Waterville at 7 p. m. On Sunday he will speak at Mt. Vernon at 1:30 p. m., Keystone at 4 p. m., and Marengo at 8 p. m.

The meeting tonight at Eliza will be addressed by Jake Lenker, "the fighting Dutchman" of Cedar county, who will explain the T. B. cattle testing question. A farm relief

SPEAKING DATES POURING IN ON NORMAN BAKER

Muscatine Publisher Speaks Three Times On September 20

Requests for speaking dates are pouring in on Norman Baker so rapidly that he is acquiring a reputation for speed in filling his engagements.

On Sept. 20, Mr. Baker is scheduled to speak at three different towns. At 1:30 p. m. he speaks at Mount Vernon, at 4 p. m. he must be at Keosauqua in an address and at 8 o'clock in the evening Mr. Baker makes his third scheduled appearance for the day at Marengo.

With the possible exception of speakers traveling by special trains and stopping for brief platform talks, Mr. Baker is probably working at higher speed than any Iowa speaker has ever before attempted. For the most part, he has been making his long trips with a high powered motor, his familiar lavender and purple Franklin, but recently it was necessary to use an airplane when on engagements the same day were widely separated.

During the past nine weeks, he has addressed approximately 250,000 people and has covered the entire eastern part of Iowa and a portion of western Illinois.

Crowds Welcome Him
The crowds which have greeted Mr. Baker have been most friendly and except in localities where the newspapers are pursuing a policy of rigid silence, as was done by the Muscatine Journal in the case of the meeting at Wilton Wednesday evening, the papers have reflected the approval of the people who attended.

The following account of Mr. Baker's meeting at the Okawaka, Ill., fair is a sample of the publicity he has been receiving.

On Thursday evening one of the largest crowds seen in Okawaka in many a year was in evidence, the big attraction being Mr. Norman Baker, owner of radio station K-TNT at Muscatine, and some of his radio artists.

Band Concert Enjoyed
Prior to his speech, the Bigsville Band gave a very pleasing concert, paying back the visit which the Okawaka Band made to their picnic on the previous Saturday night. Bigsville has a splendid band and their concert in front of the post office, was listened to and enjoyed by a large crowd. We think it nice that there is such nice cooperation between these two musical organizations and their visit here that night was appreciated by the local band and everybody else.

The other number was Acrobatic Dishes by Miss Florence LaFond, of Burlington, a former Okawaka girl and a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John LaFond. Miss LaFond is a real performer and she made a big hit with her performance that night.

"Also prior to Mr. Baker's speech two of his studio performers pleased the crowd with jokes and singing. Then Mr. Baker was introduced and he received a hearty applause from the crowd. He speaks very distinctly and the fact that he had brought along his power amplifiers made it possible for everybody to hear every word that he spoke. He spoke for about three hours and held the close attention of his audience throughout the discourse.

Much Favorable Comment
"Mr. Baker is a very fluent talker and uses no notes whatsoever to guide him while speaking. He spoke on various subjects and his speech was the source of much favorable comment. It will be recalled that Mr. Baker's radio station, K-TNT of Muscatine, Ia., was recently silenced by the Federal Radio Commission and the fact that so many people were here to listen to him that night and stayed with him until he had finished it would seem that his popularity was not lessened very much as a result. Before finishing he paid the crowd a fine compliment for the close attention they had given him, notwithstanding the fact that he had talked for such a long period.

Baker Scores Big
"As a drawing card, we'd say the Band made no mistake in their selection of Mr. Baker to appear during the Band Fair, as he truly went over big.

"The crowd that night, and in fact all three nights, stayed until a late hour and seemed to be particularly interested in the speaker very liberally. And you never could have gotten together better behaved crowds than the ones that attended the fair all three days and nights."

Sixteen Reporting To Miss Kemble For Boy's Declamatory

Six veterans, three boys with experience and seven with no experience at all, are reporting to Miss H. Margaret Kemble, forensic coach, for tryouts in boys' declamatory work at the Muscatine high school.

The six veterans who won letters last year are Kenneth Snively, George Boore, Bowman Street, Donald Moorehead, Frank Horan and Dale Foster. This will be Horan's third year of competition, he competing in the humorous division.

The three boys who were with the team last year but failed to earn their letters are Warren King, Edgar Hietzer and Charles Richard. The seven inexperienced boys are Lyle McCullough, Henry Meyers, Barry Phelps, Richard Mittman, Harlan Freymuth, Fred Stamler and Harold Phillips.

When Howard McElraith, instructor, gets his speech class organized, Miss Kemble is expecting a larger group to work with. But one contest has been arranged for certain, the Iowa Nine contest at Burlington on Friday, Dec. 11.

Only three contests were held last year and the number to be held this year depends on the showing made in the early meets, Miss Kemble announced.

Rube Walberg of the Athletics alternates between the side arm and the overhead delivery. When he times of one he hits the other.

Last Excursion of Season Is Held on St. Paul Steamer

Approximately 1,000 attended the last boat excursion of the season Thursday night when the St. Paul steamer made its last trip before going into winter quarters at Davenport. The excursion was under the auspices of the G. A. R. Remick chapter, Order of DeMolay, and the Bellevue hospital nurses' alumnae.

The boat left Muscatine at 9 p. m. returning at 11:30 C. L. Hebard and F. B. Nesper were in charge of arrangements. One of the most novel and well-known orchestras, Marable's 10-piece Cotton Pickers' band, played for dancing.

FULTON GROUP ELECTS STAFF

Mrs. James Riessen Is Named as Township Chairman

Mrs. James Riessen was elected as chairman of the Fulton township women's division of the Farm Bureau, when the women met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Harry Brookman and organized for project work for the coming year. The meeting was one of a series being conducted by Miss Elizabeth Armstrong, new home demonstration agent.

Mrs. E. H. Moeller was elected as publicity chairman and Mrs. Harry Brookman was named as treasurer. The township co-operators are: Mrs. Harry Thoenig, Mrs. J. C. Egel, Mrs. Otto Koeppe, Mrs. Elmer Ehmes, Mrs. Harry Bohnsack, Mrs. Irwin Strunk, Mrs. August Schlapkohl and Mrs. Leroy Brothers. Dates for the township training schools are Oct. 15, Nov. 13, Dec. 17, Jan. 21 and Feb. 18.

Miss Armstrong conducted an organization meeting in Wilton township today at the home of Mrs. Charles Norton.

ORGAN SENT TO AUSTRIA
ST. LOUIS—(INS)—A pipe organ, costing \$30,000, has been shipped to Vienna, Austria, by a local organ manufacturing company. The organ is addressed to La Scala, a concert hall in the Austrian capital. It required four and one-half months of construction to complete the organ.

State Prediction For Tonight Says Showers Probable

Continued unsettled weather with probable showers tonight in the east central portion, was the forecast issued today by the state bureau. Rising temperatures are looked for in the extreme west portion tonight. Saturday will be partly cloudy and somewhat warmer, the forecast says.

Rain in the amount of 1/8 of an inch fell here early today. The temperature at 7 a. m. today stood at 66 degrees as compared with 74 degrees at the same hour on Thursday. The wind was from the east.

The river stage at Muscatine reached a new low level of 3.6 of a foot above the low water mark, a fall of one inch in the past twenty-four hours, according to the report of William Moles, local weather observer.

The Medical Trust Exposed

By NORMAN BAKER
This is the 43rd installment of a serial article which will appear daily in the Midwest Free Press

What Is Lobbying?
Unfortunately, under the copyright laws we cannot convey to the reader any adequate sense of the spirit of this article—its amazing and shocking expressions, its insolence, its braggadocio, its flaunting of power in the face of the people.

Coming from a prominent member of the medical trust and appearing in a prominent medical trust publication, there can be no doubt that it is a confession or boast of the truth and nothing but the truth, but is it the whole truth? We very much doubt it. Dr. Lake or any other trust member would never confess to direct corruption—the passing of actual coin to prevent or obtain certain legislation. However, it would be difficult to believe that an organization that will go as far as Dr. Lake openly admits—that will resort to all the underhand and secret acts that go with propaganda, pass the word along the line to lawmakers, employ secret personal contacts, resort to organized intimidation, would stop short if a little "grease" or money were needed in addition.

The investigation of lobbying in Washington last year brought out fully the fact that hundreds of thousands of dollars were used by many different big business concerns or organizations for essentially corrupt purposes; that spies were employed for the purpose of betraying the secrets of governmental boards or committees; that agents of big business were slipped into governmental boards or committees; that agents of big business were slipped into governmental boards and other bodies in double roles and received pay from both the government and the trusts that were undermining the government. Another species of corruption was the deliberate buying of government officials by making it plain that high salaried jobs awaited them upon their retirement from government positions. Such spies, bought and paid for by the trusts, even resorted to the serious offense of looking into and tampering with government books, and reporting government secrets.

Let Doctors and Lawmakers Explain
Is it possible that the medical trust, which from the confession of one of its prominent members, Dr. Lake, is as much committed to lobbying as Grundy, or the other arch-lobbyists of the trusts, any better on the whole than the other lobbying trusts? Is it reasonable to suppose with the evidence that we already have, that the medical trust does not resort to all the corrupt lobbying practices that were revealed at the investigation last year? It is clearly up to the medical trust, now that it is so deeply involved, to show that it is one whit better than the sugar trust, or the textile trust, or manufacturers' lobby which used Grundy as their arch-lobbyist to circumvent the laws and defeat the will of the people of the United States. Let the medical trust show convincingly, if it can, that it resorts to every species of governmental intimidation and control except downright corruption by the use of money—that it is bad enough to do all of the former, but that it is too good, true, patriotic, holy and professionally ethical to do the latter.

This brings us to another matter. Granting that all that Dr. Lake admits and confesses is true, what about our law-making bodies? If they can be so influenced and swayed from the straight path for which they were elevated to power—serving the whole people—are they not equally guilty as the medical trust? What have our law-makers to say for themselves? Are Dr. Lake's statements true or not true? It is up to the Illinois legislature in particular and to lawmaking bodies generally under the present situation either to show that statements like those of Dr. Lake are not true, or to publicly clear their own skirts. If they fail to do either of these things they will stand before the American people convicted and disgraced by their own silence.